



Executive Department
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor
Proclamation

State Capitol
Boise

WHEREAS, in the State of The Union Address, on January 29, 2002 President George W. Bush stated; "My call tonight is for every American to commit at least two years, four thousand hours over the rest of your lifetime, to the service of your neighbors and your Nation."; and

WHEREAS, during or after a disaster, terrorist act or natural hazards, communities suffer from lack of knowledge and survival training; and

WHEREAS, delaying assistance to those in need puts our citizens at risk, and Idahoans will not tolerate the senseless death and injury in our state's communities caused by man made or natural hazards or acts of terrorism; and

WHEREAS, community-based Citizen Corps strategies include education, training and volunteerism to make communities safer, stronger and better prepared; and

WHEREAS, the State of Idaho is a partner in the effort to increase Idaho's emergency response capability as well as encourage individual and family preparedness;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim June 2004, to be

**IDAHO CITIZEN CORPS AND
COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM MONTH**

in Idaho.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this nineteenth day of May in the year of our Lord two-thousand and four and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-eighth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred fourteenth.

A handwritten signature of Dirk Kempthorne in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

DIRK KEMPTHORNE
GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature of Ben Ysursa in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

BEN YSURSA
SECRETARY OF STATE